# 450 - Department of Savings and Mortgage Lending

Workforce Summary Document prepared by the State Auditor's Office.

Based on information **self-reported** by the agency, the following items are noteworthy.

### Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) Employees

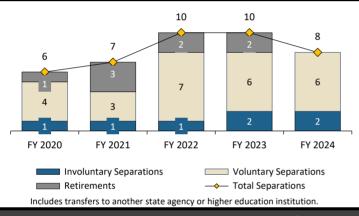
This agency is a Self-Directed, Semi-Independent (SDSI) agency; therefore, it has no FTE limitation in the General Appropriations Act. The FTEs listed were paid from non-appropriated funds. Compared with fiscal year 2020, the agency's total number of FTEs increased by 13.1 (26.1 percent).

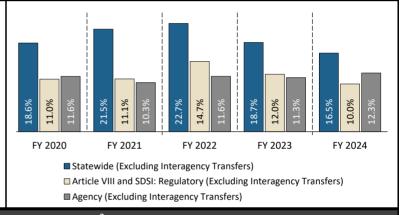
FTEs Below/Above FTE Limitation										
	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024					
FTE Limitation	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A					
Number Below or Above Limitation	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A					
Percent Above or Below Limitation	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A					



### **Employee Turnover** a

Excluding interagency transfers, the turnover rate within the agency (12.3 percent) was lower than the statewide turnover rate (16.5 percent) and higher than the turnover rate of Article VIII and SDSI agencies (10.0 percent) during fiscal year 2024. The fiscal year 2024 agency turnover rate including employees who transferred to another state agency or higher education institution was 12.3 percent.





## Compensation Information <sup>a</sup>

The average agency salary of \$84,904 in fiscal year 2024 represented an increase of 17.5 percent compared with the average agency salary in fiscal year 2020. In fiscal year 2024, 12.3 percent of employees were paid below the midpoint of the salary range to which they were assigned. Total agency expenditures for salaries and benefits were higher compared with fiscal year 2020.

Salary and Benefits Expenditures (in Millions)									
\$5.4	\$5.9	\$6.2	\$6.7	\$7.5					
\$4.1	\$4.5	\$4.7	\$5.1	\$5.7					
FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024					
Salary Expenditures Benefits Expenditures									

Average Salary Trends											
	FY 2020		FY 2021		FY 2022		FY 2023		FY 2024		
Commissioner	\$	194,750	\$	194,750	\$	200,004	\$	210,004	\$	210,004	
Agency Average	\$	72,253	\$	73,910	\$	76,268	\$	80,572	\$	84,904	
Article Average	\$	63,503	\$	64,438	\$	65,847	\$	69,199	\$	73,528	
Statewide Average	\$	49,500	\$	50,590	\$	53,525	\$	57,011	\$	61,116	

Note: With the exception of the commissioner, the average salary is for classified regular, full-time employees only. Article salary average includes Article VIII and SDSI agencies.

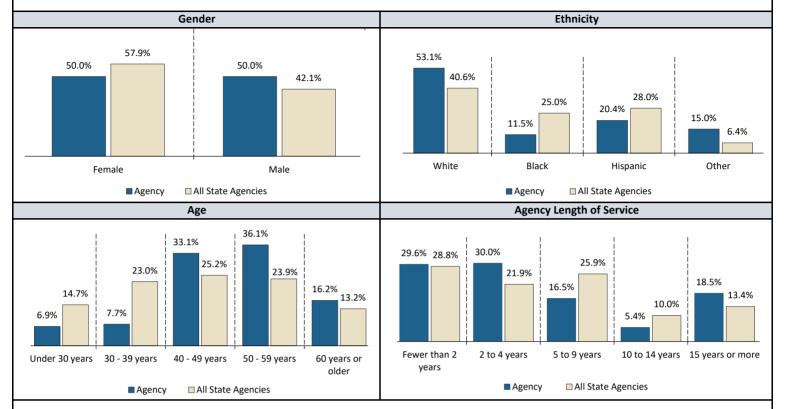
FY 2020	FY 2021 F	FY 2022 FY 20	223 FY 2024	Number of Salary Actions							
Salary Exp		FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024					
→ Total (Sala	Promotions	5	18	17	14	11					
Salary Range Distribution <sup>b</sup>				Merits	16	21	31	32	24		
	Employees	Below Midpoint	At or Above Midpoint	One-Time Merits	18	15	15	12	19		
Salary Schedule A	3.50	0.0%	100.0%	Equity Adjustments	12	7	12	5	3		
Salary Schedule B	61.50	13.0%	87.0%	Reclassifications	0	0	2	1	0		
Totals	65.00	12.3%	87.7%	Totals	51	61	77	64	57		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Turnover and salary trends information was taken from the Office of the Comptroller of Public Accounts' Uniform Statewide Payroll/Personnel System and Standardized Payroll/Personnel Reporting System. Unless otherwise indicated, the data reported is for classified regular, full-time and part-time employees. Salary and benefit information was taken from the Office of the Comptroller of Public Accounts' Uniform Statewide Accounting System.

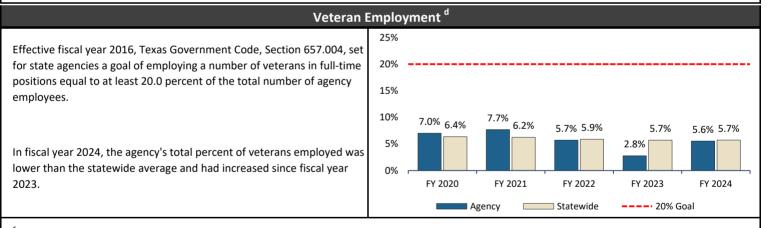
b Includes classified regular, full-time employees only. The total percentage for salary range distribution is not the sum of salary schedules A and B percentages.

### Fiscal Year 2024 Workforce Demographics c

On average, employees at the agency were 50.0 years old and had 7.0 years of agency length of service. Of the agency's employees, 85.4 percent were 40 years old or older, and 59.6 percent had fewer than 5 years of agency length of service. The Employees Retirement System estimates that between fiscal years 2024 and 2028, 30.0 percent of the agency's workforce will be eligible to retire (based on fiscal year 2024 data).



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>c</sup> Demographic information was taken from the Office of the Comptroller of Public Accounts' Uniform Statewide Payroll/Personnel System and Standardized Payroll/Personnel Reporting System. Data includes classified regular, full-time and part-time employees. Demographic data may appear skewed for agencies with fewer than 50 employees.



d Veteran employment information was obtained from the Office of the Comptroller of Public Accounts. Statewide totals include state agencies and higher education institutions.

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